



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q86241

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Appln. No.: 10/521,178

Group Art Unit: 3722

Confirmation No.: 9224

Examiner: Dana Ross

Filed: January 14, 2005

For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR PROCESSING SCREW ROTOR, AND CUTTING TOOL

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicants select Group II, on which claims 4-10 are readable and further elect Species I, which corresponds to claim 11 for examination, without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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